

Learning at Schools
Breakout 6

Thinking in a Junior Classroom
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To promote thinking based learning in authentic contexts

When we don't know what to do we ... think!

Thinking is all about the creating and answering of questions - Trevor Bond

Why explicitly teach thinking in the classroom?
Thinking skills are for a lifetime

Year 0
Red, White hats
6 w's
Venn diagrams
Wonder wall
Brainstorming

Planning
Concept Curriculum Planning
Belonging
Everything belongs to a group
Belonging implies similarities
Membership of groups can change

Topic Plan
Fruit and Vege

Weekly plan

Questioning dice
Read a book - or cover - use the dice

Questioning Matrix
Photos on powerpoint

Tic-Tac-Q
Sheet with questions

News and Views

Wonderwall
I wonder why? I wonder who? I wonder what?

